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Philip M. Jones et al.

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For: EFFICIENT SNOOP FILTER IN A
MULTIPLE-PROCESSOR-BUS
SYSTEM

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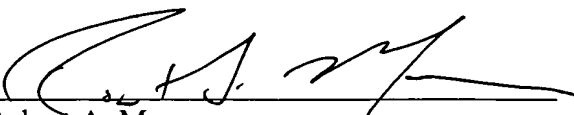
I, Robert A. Manware, hereby declare as follows:

1. My residence, post office address, and citizenship are set forth below, adjacent my signature.
2. I am the attorney of record in the above-referenced application.
3. I have reviewed files related to the above-referenced application.
4. On information and belief, the inventors, Paul B. Rawlins and Phil M. Jones, conceived of the subject matter disclosed and claimed in the above-referenced application prior to May 25, 2001. This conception is evidenced by a copy of a letter that I sent to Mr. Rawlins on May 25, 2001, with a first draft of the patent application, as evidenced by the letter from myself to the Mr. Rawlins, dated May 25, 2001. A true and correct copy of this letter is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

5. On information and belief, inventor, Mr. Rawlins, revised the initial patent application and submitted these revisions to me via an email on June 14, 2001. A true and correct copy of this email is attached hereto as Exhibit B.
6. I sent a letter to Mr. Paul Rawlins on June 19, 2001, with a second version of the patent application that incorporated the revisions to the first draft of the patent application, as evidenced by the letter from myself to the Mr. Rawlins, dated June 19, 2001. A true and correct copy of this letter is attached hereto as Exhibit C.
7. On information and belief, Mr. Rawlins and Mr. Jones executed a declaration under Rule 63 and an assignment on September 28, 2001, as evidenced by a copy of the declaration, dated September 28, 2001, and the assignment, dated September 28, 2001. A true and correct copy of the declaration is attached hereto as Exhibit D and the assignment is attached hereto as Exhibit E.
8. The Application was subsequently filed with the U.S. Patent Office on September 28, 2001.
9. I further declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true, and further that these statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements, and the like, are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. § 1001, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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